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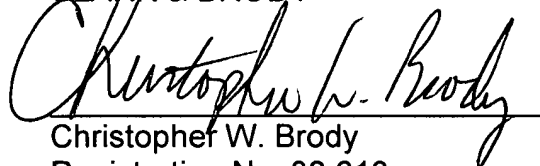
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Title

Method and a device for optically detecting the position of an object by measuring the light

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